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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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FOR: METHOD FOR MINIMIZING PIRATING AND/OR UNAUTHORIZED COPYING AND/OR
UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS OF/TO DATA ON/FROM DATA MEDIA INCLUDING COMPACT DISCS
AND DIGITAL VERSATILE DISCS, AND SYSTEM AND DATA MEDIA FOR SAME

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 93 pages of specification, claims, abstract
☐ Declaration & Power of Attorney
☒ Priority Claimed to US Provisional Application No. 60/086,132 filed May 20, 1998
☐ Certified copy of _____
☒ 21 sheets of formal drawing
☐ An assignment of the invention to _____
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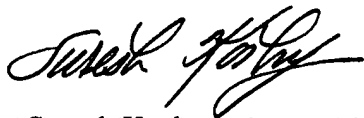
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